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10/537,274	BOGATYREV, ALEXEI BORISOVICH	
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The Appeal Brief filed on <u>29 November 2007</u> is defective for failure to comply with one or more provisions of 37 CFR 41.37.

To avoid dismissal of the appeal, applicant must file anamended brief or other appropriate correction (see MPEP 1205.03) within **ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS** from the mailing date of this Notification, whichever is longer. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136.**

- 1. The brief does not contain the items required under 37 CFR 41.37(c), or the items are not under the proper heading or in the proper order.
- 2. The brief does not contain a statement of the status of all claims, (e.g., rejected, allowed, withdrawn, objected to, canceled), or does not identify the appealed claims (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(iii)).
- 3. At least one amendment has been filed subsequent to the final rejection, and the brief does not contain a statement of the status of each such amendment (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(iv)).
- (a) The brief does not contain a concise explanation of the subject matter defined in each of the independent claims involved in the appeal, referring to the specification by page and line number and to the drawings, if any, by reference characters; and/or (b) the brief fails to: (1) identify, for each independent claim involved in the appeal and for each dependent claim argued separately, every means plus function and step plus function under 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, and/or (2) set forth the structure, material, or acts described in the specification as corresponding to each claimed function with reference to the specification by page and line number, and to the drawings, if any, by reference characters (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(v)).
- 5. The brief does not contain a concise statement of each ground of rejection presented for review (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vi))
- 6. The brief does not present an argument under a separate heading for each ground of rejection on appeal (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vii)).
- 7. The brief does not contain a correct copy of the appealed claims as an appendix thereto (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(viii)).
- The brief does not contain copies of the evidence submitted under 37 CFR 1.130, 1.131, or 1.132 or of any other evidence entered by the examiner **and relied upon by appellant in the appeal**, along with a statement setting forth where in the record that evidence was entered by the examiner, as an appendix thereto (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(ix)).
- The brief does not contain copies of the decisions rendered by a court or the Board in the proceeding identified in the Related Appeals and Interferences section of the brief as an appendix thereto (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(x)).
- 10. ☐ Other (including any explanation in support of the above items):

the amendment after final filed 10/29/07 is not entered, accordingly the appeal brief is directed to claims which are not pending.

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1. The Notice of Appeal filed on 30 August 2007	is not acceptable because:				
(a) it was not timely filed.	•				
(b) the statutory fee for filing the appeal was not submitted. See 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1).					
(c) the appeal fee received on was not timely filed.					
(d) the submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. The appeal fee required by 37 CFR 41.20(b)(1) is \$					
(e) ☐ the appeal is not in compliance with 37 CFR 41.31(a)(1) in that no claim has been twice rejected.					
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The appeal in this application will be dismissed uprief and requisite fee. See 37 CFR 41.37(a)(1). Ex See 37 CFR 41.37(e).	inless corrective action is taker itensions of time may be obtain	n to timely submit the ned under 37 CFR 1.136(a).			
3. The appeal in this application is DISMISSED b	pecause:				
 (a) the statutory fee for filing the brief as req period for obtaining an extension of time 	uired under 37 CFR 41.20(b)(2) v to file the brief under 37 CFR 1.1	vas not timely submitted and the 36(a) has expired.			
(b) the brief was not timely filed and the peri CFR 1.136(a) has expired.	od for obtaining an extension of ti	me to file the brief under 37			
(c) a Request for Continued Examination (R	CE) under 37 CFR 1.114 was file	d on			
(d)					
4. Because of the dismissal of the appeal, this ap	pplication:				
(a) is abandoned because there are no allow	ved claims.				
 (b) is before the examiner for final disposition on the merits remains CLOSED. 	n because it contains allowed clai	ms. Prosecution			
(c) is before the examiner for consideration.		the J. Sent			
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